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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of)
Charles A. King)
Larry C. Purcell)
Serial No. 10/050,593) Examiner: David A. Lambertson
Filed: January 16, 2002) Group Art Unit: 1638
For: Herbicide resistant dinitrogen)
fixing bacteria and method of use)

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Respectfully submitted,

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Fee Code	Fee Paid	Fee Description	Fee Paid
2051	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	[]
2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	[]
1053	130	Non-English specification	[]
1812	2,520	For filing a request for reexamination	[]
1804	920	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	[]
1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	[]
2251	55	Extension for reply within first month	[]
2252	200	Extension for reply within second month	[]
2253	460	Extension for reply within third month	[]
2254	720	Extension for reply within fourth month	[]
2255	980	Extension for reply within fifth month	[]
2401	160	Notice of Appeal	[]
2402	160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	[]
2403	150	Request for Oral Hearing	[]
1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	[]
2452	55	Petition to revive -unavoidable	[]
2453	640	Petition to revive - unintentional	[]
2501	640	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	[]
2502	230	Design issue fee	[]
2503	310	Plant issue fee	[]
1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	[]
1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	[]
1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Statement	[180.]
8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	[]
2809	370	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR .129(a))	[]
2810	370	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	[]
2801	370	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	[]
1802	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	[]
1504	300	Publication fee for early, voluntary, or normal publication	[]
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1455	200	Filing an application for patent term adjustment	[]
1456	400	Request for reinstatement of term reduced	[]
		Other fee (specify)	[]

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1. FILING FEE

Fee Code	Fee \$	Fee Description	Fee Paid
2001	370	Utility filing fee	[]
2006	165	Design Filing Fee	[]
2003	255	Plant Filing Fee	[]
2004	370	Reissue Filing Fee	[]
2005	80	Provisional Filing Fee	[]

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2. CLAIMS

	Extra Claims	Fee	Fee Paid
Total Claims [] - 20** = [] x \$9 = []			
Independent Claims [] - 3** = [] x 42 = []			
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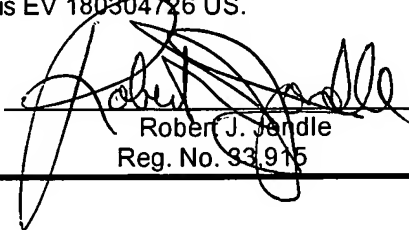
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